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After looking very closely at the options and alternatives, I strongly support the Pacific Interchange option for SR 520. Local traffic flow would be greatly improved (in fact, it would again be truly "local" instead of a bottleneck for commuters). It would greatly improve transit efficiency for many reasons as outlined in the study, and there would be a direct link to light rail at UW. There would also be a continuous new park area with trail systems from Portage Bay to the Arboretum. Spending the money for a 4 lane system seems a waste, and for a 6-lane system that does little or nothing to improve transit and actually makes local congestion worse seems to a bad idea as well. Doing nothing is crazy (it's bad now, and it's going to get worse AND more expensive).

Thank you

Brad Sherman

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Comment Summary:

Pacific Street Interchange Option

Response:

See Section 1.2 of the 2006 Draft EIS Comment Response Report.